GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

A B S T R A C T

Public Services - Agriculture & Cooperation Department - Allegations of corruption levelled against Sri V. Ramu Naik, the then Asst. Director of Agriculture (SC), Adoni, Kurnool District and presently working as Deputy Director of Agriculture (RBK/PP), O/o Joint Director of Agriculture, Kurnool – Misappropriation of Govt., funds to a tune of Rs.35,88,087/- and other irregularities – Disciplinary action initiated under A.P. Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991 – Articles of Charges issued – Written Statement of Defense (WSD) submitted – Appointment of Inquiring Authority under Sub-Rule (2) of Rule 20 A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Orders – Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND CO-OPERATION (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 860 **Dated: 08-10-2025**

Read the following:

1. Govt. Memo No: AGC01-AGRI/129/2019, A&C (Vig.I) Dept., dt.26.06.2019 and reminder even No. dt.01-01-2020.
2. From Sri Raghava Reddy & 2 others, Aspiri Village & Mandal, Kurnool District, Repn. dt.nil. (received through CMP No.250 Spl. Officer/2019, dt.04-12-2019.)
3. Govt., Memo No AGC01-AGRI/129/2019, A&C (Vig.I) Dept., dt.01.01.2020 & 26.06.2019.
4. From the Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur, Lr. No. Vig. 1(2) 180/2019, dated:06/10/2021
5. Govt., Memo No AGC01-AGRI/129/2019, A&C (Vig.I) Dept., dt.07.02.2022
6. From the Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur, Lr. No. Vig 1(2) 180/2019, dt.28.04.2023.
7. Govt.Memo.No.AGC01-AGRI/129/2019, A&C(Vig.I) Dept., dt.05.05.2023.
8. From the Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur, Lr.No.AGC02-32026(32)/24/2019-VIG-AGRHOD, dt.10.08.2024.
9. G.O.Rt.No.06, A & C (Vig.I) Dept., dt.09.01.2025.
10. From the Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur, Lr. No. AGC02-32026(32)/24/2019-VIG, Dt.16.04.2025.

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O R D E R:

Whereas, an inquiry under Rule 20 of the A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 is being held against Sri V. Ramu Naik, the then ADA (Soil Conservation), Adoni, Kurnool District and present, Deputy Director of Agriculture, O/o. DTC (DRC), Sri Sathya Sai District, Puttaparthi, and working as DDA, O/o DDA, PDDF, Yammiganur, Kurnool District (on OD basis) for failure in discharging their official duties leading to 'misconduct' under A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

2. And whereas, it is considered that an Inquiring Authority should be appointed to inquire into the charges framed against the said Sri V. Ramu Naik, the then ADA (Soil Conservation), Adoni, Kurnool District and present, Deputy Director of Agriculture, O/o. DTC (DRC), Sri Sathya Sai District, Puttaparthi, and working as DDA, O/o DDA, PDDF, Yammiganur, Kurnool District (on OD basis).

3. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under Sub-Rule (2) of Rule 20 of A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules 1991, the Government hereby appoint Sri G. Vinaichand Addl. Director of Agriculture, O/o. C&DA, A.P., Guntur as Inquiring Authority, to inquire into the Articles of Charges issued against the said Sri V. Ramu Naik, the then ADA (Soil Conservation), Adoni, Kurnool District and present, Deputy Director of Agriculture, O/o. DTC (DRC), Sri Sathya Sai District, Puttaparthi, and working as DDA, O/o DDA, PDDF, Yammiganur, Kurnool District (on OD basis).

(P.T.O.)

4. The Inquiring Authority so appointed shall complete the inquiry and furnish the Inquiry Report to the Government, within one month positively, keeping in view of the consolidated instructions issued in G.O.Ms.No.91, G.A. (Ser-C) Dept., dt.12.09.2022.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B. RAJSEKHAR
EX-OFFICIO SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To:
Sri G. Vinaichand Addl. Director of Agriculture, O/o. C&DA, A.P., Guntur.
(through the Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur)

Copy to:
The Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur.
(with a request to hand over the connected files to the Inquiring Authority, so as to conduct regular inquiry)
Sri V. Ramu Naik, the then ADA (Soil Conservation), Adoni, Kurnool District and present, Deputy Director of Agriculture, O/o. DTC (DRC), Sri Sathya Sai District, Puttaparthi, and working as DDA, O/o DDA, PDDF, Yammiganur, Kurnool District (on OD basis).
(through the Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur)
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// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER